GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3181
ANSWERED ON:19.12.2008
VACANT POSTS IN GOVT. OF INDIA PRESS
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the staff sanctioned for Government of India Press (GIP), Koratty, Kerala and the details of the vacancies in each category of posts;

(b) the reasons for large number of vacancies for years;

(c) whether the recruitment process initiated recently has been suspended;

(d) if so, the reasons therefor;

(e) whether such a large number of vacancies have affected the production capacity of the press; and

(f) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT(SHRI AJAY MAKEN)

(a): Details of sanctioned posts and vacancies in various categories in Government of India Press, Koratty, Kerala as per office order No. 20(5)/2002-A-III dated 18th May, 2007 of the Directorate of Printing is enclosed (Annexure).

(b)to(d): Group `A`, Group `B` and Group `C` posts falling under specified categories is filled up on the recommendations of UPSC/Staff Selection Commission (SSC). Recommendations of UPSC/SSC against vacancies referred are awaited. Necessary action for filling up of Group `B` & `C` posts falling in promotion quota has been initiated. The process of recruitment for filling up of Group `C` & `D` posts falling i n Direct Recruitment Quota ha s been suspended on receipt o f serious complaints o f alleged irregularities which are being inquired into.

(e)&(f): While there have been fluctuations in levels of production, attempt is being made to utilize the capacity to the extent possible and significant decline in production levels have not been reported.

ANNEXURE

Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.3181 dated 19.12.2008.

Sl. No.	Groups	Sanctioned Strength under modernisation scheme as on 18.5.07	On Roll	Vacant
1	A	2	1	1
2	B	9	4	5
3	C	270	130	140

4	D		52	8	44
	333	143		190	